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SUBJ: INTERNATIONAL NUCLEAR FUEL CYCLE EVALUATION (INFCE)

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1. EMBOFF AGAIN DISCUSSED INFCE WITH RICHARD POLACZEK, NUCLEAR ENERGY COORDINATOR IN FEDERAL CHANCELLERY, ON AUGUST 22. POLACZEK EXPRESSED THANKS FOR THE INFORMATION CONVEYED IN THE TERMS OF REFERENCE, SAYING IT WAS THE FIRST TIME THE AUSTRIAN GOVERNMENT HAD BEEN INFORMED IN SUCH DETAIL ABOUT FUEL CYCLE EVALUATION. HE KNEW OF PARIS MEETINGS BUT DID NOT ASK ABOUT RESULTS.

2. ACCORDING TO POLACZEK, AUSTRIANS SEE SOME UNDESIRABLE POSSIBILITIES IN INFCE, ESPECIALLY THAT A NEW "SUPER" ORGANIZATION WILL BE ESTABLISHED WHICH WOULD TAKE OVER SOME RESPONSIBILITIES NOW HANDLED EFFECTIVELY BY IAEA AND NEA. THERE IS ALSO SOME CONCERN THAT DUPLICATION OF EFFORT WILL RESULT FROM CYCLE. POLACZEK NOTED, FOR EXAMPLE, THAT SOME ITEMS IN TERMS OF REFERENCE, E.G., EVALUATION OF URANIUM SOURCES, ALREADY BEING DONE BY IAEA OR NEA. ACCORDING TO POLACZEK THESE
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VIEWS REFLECT CONSULTATION WITH MFA.

3. POLACZEK WAS UNABLE TO SAY NOW WHETHER GOA WOULD ATTEND WASHINGTON CONFERENCE. THAT IS PRIMARILY A MATTER FOR MFA DECISION AND IS STILL BEING CONSIDERED. WE WILL FOLLOW THROUGH.

4. WOULD APPRECIATE ANY POINTS WE MIGHT CONVEY TO
POLACZEK ON CONCERNS MENTIONED ABOVE.BORG

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